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Journal a Reference Committee report referring bills 556 through 566. Signed, Senator Mahoney and other members of the Reference Committee.

Mr. President, one new bill, LB 180A, introduced by Senators Burbach and Carsten. (Read title).

That's all Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: We are ready for Final Reading. I would request that all non-senatorial personnel please vacate the floor of the Legislature and ask the Senators to kindly take their chairs. Mr. Clerk would you read, on Final Reading, legislative bill 2.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have one more announcement and that is that the Rules Committee will meet on February 25th at 8 o'clock. Signed, Senator DeCamp, Chairman.

Read title.

PRESIDENT: You have heard the motion. Senator Lewis.

SENATOR R. LEWIS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, late Friday afternoon a member of the Department of Motor Vehicles came to me and explained to me that this bill, the way it's presently written, is going to create a real problem in the Department. It is going to void quite a number of the prestige plates that have been previously been issued, plus the fact that it's going to take a considerable amount of money to retool some of their equipment to follow the dictates of this bill. I would like to see this bracketed for one week in order to give them time to work out the details of this and an amendment, if we need it. I've talked to Senator Simpson, the introducer of the bill, and he's in concurrence here.

PRESIDENT: Are you asking unanimous consent Senator Lewis?

SENATOR R. LEWIS: Yes sir, I am.

PRESIDENT: Is there any objection to the bracketing of 81? Seeing none, 81 is bracketed for one week.

We are ready for legislative bill 82 on Final Reading.

CLERK: Read title.

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PRESIDENT: We now leave Final Reading.

CLERK: Mr. President, a message on the desk. From the Executive Office under the date of February 24th. (Read message, found on page 602 of Journal).

PRESIDENT: We are also pleased to have with us some students from Milford High School in the North balcony. Welcome to the Nebraska Legislature, Senator Bereuter's constituents. I hope you learn something here today.